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In re application of:

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RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed May 16, 2006, the shortened statutory period for which runs until August 16, 2006, which is hereby extended to September 16th, 2006.